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Grassy et al.

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IDENTIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION  
OF MOLECULES CAPABLE OF  
EXHIBITING A DESIRED BEHAVIOUR,  
MORE PARTICULARLY IN THE  
PHARMACEUTICAL SECTOR, AND  
MOLECULES OBTAINED BY SAID  
METHOD

: Group Art Unit: 1631

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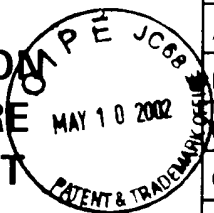
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